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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the election requirement transmitted November 25, 2008, Applicants elect without traverse Specie 1 (Figures 1-5). The claims encompassed by Specie 1 are claims 1-7, 12 and 14.

Upon allowance of a generic claim, Applicants will be entitled to joinder of claims 8-11 and 15-23 directed to the other non-elected Species. If no generic claim is allowed, Applicants reserve the right to pursue claims to the non-elected Species in one or more divisional application(s).

Applicants also reserve the right to pursue non-elected claims 24-49 in one or more divisional application(s).